

Household Interests SOCIETY Personal Notes

HANDSOME DANCE GIVEN IN HONOR OF MISS REED

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Reed Makes Formal Bow to Society.

In a setting of lovely flowers and at one of the handsomest dances of the season, given last evening in the ballroom of the Jefferson Hotel, Miss Alice Burwell Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Reed, made her formal bow to society. Mr. and Mrs. Reed received with their daughter, and introduced the debutante to the 250 guests who were present. Miss Reed wore a girlish gown of soft white satin, finished in iridescent beads, and carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. Others in the receiving line at Miss Reed's debut party were General and Mrs. William Rufus Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Wortham, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Laird, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Reed, Misses Janet Montague and Ethel Alston Cabell, both buds of this season, and Miss Dorothy Foltz, of Chestnut Hill, Pa. Miss Reed's house guest, who was president of the class of 1913 at Springdale School.

At 11 o'clock a seated supper was served at twenty-six flower-laden tables arranged in the dining-room. The center table was set for forty guests, these including the debutante of the season and their escorts, and the smaller tables were placed for eight. Hundreds of pink roses in baskets and vases, decorated the supper tables, and a large centerpiece of pink blossoms decorated the central table. In the ballroom the receiving party stood in front of a bank of palms and azaleas, massed with beautiful flowers, held the numerous bouquets sent Miss Reed in honor of her coming out. The stage, where a string orchestra played for the dancing, was arranged with palms and azaleas, and bay trees, interspersed with poinsettias, banked the windows and entrances. It was a beautiful dance in every detail, and one of the handsomest functions that has been given this season.

Pretty Home Wedding.

One of the leading society events of the week was the marriage yesterday evening at 8 o'clock of Miss Lucille Nelson, daughter of Captain and Mrs. Frank Walter Nelson, of Lakeside, to Neal Duncan Ivey, son of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Ivey, of Nashville, Tenn. The ceremony, which was witnessed by a small company of relatives and intimate friends, took place in the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Murray M. McCallum, 1515 West Avenue, and an informal reception followed. The living-room, where an improvised altar was arranged at one end, was decorated in evergreens, trailing vines and many lighted candles. The bride descended the stairway on the arm of her father, Captain Nelson, who gave her away. Her wedding dress was an exquisitely simple affair of soft white satin with ruffles of illusion. It was made round the neck with a bolero jacket of panne velvet, fastened with a pearl ornament, and the long sleeves were of tulle. Her hair veil was arranged in a cap effect with a wreath of orange blossoms to the temples and she carried an old-fashioned nosegay of white roses, edged with lilies of the valley and finished with a lace frill. Murray M. McCallum, 1515 West Avenue, and Miss Virginia J. Nelson, who was sister's maid of honor and only attendant, Miss Nelson wore a quaint black of pink crepe de chine, made with a row of pink ribbon caught up at intervals with rosebuds, and she carried a hat shower of pink sweepings. Mr. Ernest Earl Osgood, rector of Emmanuel Episcopal Church, performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivey left later in the morning for a wedding journey, and will be at home after December 15 at 105 Highland Avenue, Nashville, Tenn. Some of the guests from a distance attending the wedding were Dr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Ivey, of Nashville, Tenn.; Margaret Ivey, of Nashville; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis, of Beaufort, N. C.; and Miss Mary C. Leigh, of Danville, Va.

Guests of To-Day.
Miss Charles F. Whitlock will be hostess this evening at 8 o'clock at a small, informal supper dance at her home, 100 East Franklin Street. The affair is in honor of Miss Ethel Alston Cabell, the debutante of the season, and the younger set has been included in the invitations.

Guests Entertained.
The Misses Stewart, of "Brook Hill," are giving a luncheon of twelve courses at their home in Newport News, Va. Miss Ellen Wright Wise, the daughter of Mrs. Barton Hazzell Wise.

The usual weekly supper dance will take place at the Westmoreland Club this evening from 10 to 12 o'clock. Many tables have been reserved in advance, and an orchestra will play for the dancing.

Guests Entertained.
Miss Rita Metcalf, of New York, who is a guest of Miss Jessie Hazard here, Miss Mary Street entertained at luncheon at the Country Club of Virginia yesterday. Covers were laid for seven guests, and the table was set with yellow and white chrysanthemums and shaded lights. Miss Hazard gave an auction bridge party Tuesday afternoon for Miss Metcalf, and this affair was also given at the Country Club. Six tables were engaged, and tea was served after the game.

Guests Entertained.
Miss Elizabeth Barton, of Kansas City, Mo., who has been in Richmond for some time past, is spending a week with Mrs. E. Newton Vaughan, Jr., at Monroe Terrace, before leaving for St. Louis. Miss Barton came to Richmond this fall for the Beverly-Shields wedding and has been in town with friends ever since.

Visiting Here.
Mr. and Mrs. Heth Lorton, of New York, are stopping at the Jefferson Hotel here for a week or ten days. Mr. and Mrs. Lorton have a great many relatives and friends in Richmond, and already a number of interesting functions have been arranged in their honor, and they will be guests at several Virginia country houses before returning to New York. Mr. Lorton is a well known Virginian, who was born and lived in Richmond until he moved North some years ago, and his ancestors have been prominent in Colonial times and the early history of the State. Mrs. Lorton, who was formerly Miss Mary Nebold Lawrence, of New York, is also well known in Richmond.

Fashion's Decree

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IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Mrs. Douglas Vander Hoof has gone to Baltimore, where she is the guest of friends.

Mrs. Charles E. Wortham, Jr., and Miss Lucy Ford Wortham are leaving shortly for Rochester, N. Y., where they will spend some time with relatives.

Arthur L. Adamson left town yesterday for a stay of several days in Washington, N. C.

Mrs. Charles W. Culp, of the Chesapeake, has gone to New York City for a visit.

Miss Rita Metcalf, of New York, is the guest of Miss Jessie Hazard here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Thredercraft, who have just returned from their honeymoon, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Langhorne Putney.

Miss Virginia Watkins and Miss Virginia Lee have left for a short visit to Gloucester County.

Misses Mary Tomlin Anderson and Margaret Herndon have returned to the city, after visiting Mrs. W. V. Starke in Norfolk.

Miss Katherine Ricks, who is sick at her home on West Avenue with typhoid fever is now slowly improving.

Miss Virginia Grace is visiting friends at the Chalfonte Hotel in Atlantic City.

Miss Leona Dixon, of New Orleans, who has been the guest of Miss Adele Williams and Miss Alice Blair in this city, has left for the North.

Mrs. James R. V. Daniel has returned to the University of Virginia.

Miss Elise Bubbidge and Miss Elizabeth Stubbs, of Savannah, Ga., left yesterday, after spending two weeks with Misses Josephine and Gladys at Monroe Terrace.

Miss Mary Butler has returned to "Poplar Grove," Mathews County, after a visit to Miss Anita Cusson here.

Miss Helen Adams is the guest of Mrs. C. A. Fisher at her home in Redgate Avenue, Norfolk.

Mrs. C. A. Dempsey returned to Richmond Wednesday, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lawson, in Fredericksburg.

Miss Annie Thomas, who has been spending a week here with Mrs. R. C. Fabb, has returned to Norfolk.

Miss Helma Reinhardt has returned to Richmond, after a visit to Misses Adeline and Irene Mueller in Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peden and their daughter, Miss Margaret Peden, of Fredericksburg, have been in the city for a brief stay.

Miss Lucile Ayler has returned to her home in Newport News, after attending the Walton-Thornton wedding in this city.

Mrs. S. E. Pitts and her children, of Caroline County, spent the week-end in this city.

and E. B. Keeley, of South Boston, have been in Richmond for a short stay.

WOMEN'S MEETINGS.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Grace Street Baptist Church will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the basement of the church. Rev. Lloyd T. Wilson, pastor of the church, will address the meeting on the subject of "Building for the Future of China," and there will be other interesting features on the program for the afternoon. A full attendance is desired.

The Buried Thought

By LILLIAN RUSSELL.

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Among my acquaintances is a woman who invariably limits her speech to monosyllables. She is an excellent listener and seems to drink in every word she hears. Her friends wonder what she does with the store of information which she must accumulate through listening to others, for she will associate only with the most intellectual and refined people.

It was my good fortune to become sufficiently well acquainted with this woman to receive several letters from her, and each one revealed her in a new light. All of her thoughts (and they were many) seemed to have been stored away for expression only through her pen. In her letters she revealed the innermost workings of a wonderful mind which has a peculiar way of grasping the real meat of every subject. I learned through these letters that her thoughts were not only analytical and logical but also most beautiful—and she exhibited a remarkable ability to record them with pen and ink.

After reading these letters it seemed to me a great misfortune that practically all of this woman's friends were denied the privilege of hearing her express such beautiful and illuminating thoughts. Before almost everybody she appeared stricken dumb when there was an opportunity for her to talk. Yet she could express herself most eloquently through her letters. I suppose there are a great many other women just like this woman of my acquaintance. Some of them are able to write interesting letters but are unable to talk. Others can talk, and their letters are not worth reading.

The difficulties under which this woman labored are of the same character as those which most people encounter. In some way it was suggested to her early in life that she could write a beautiful and interesting letter. It was also suggested that, while she could write interestingly, she could not talk in the same strain. This suggestion grew into an idea and finally became a conviction.

This woman has buried a great many beautiful thoughts which should have been expressed for the benefit of her friends. The best advice she can give is her fear that she cannot talk interestingly.

Remember: You are more than half through with whatever you are doing to do when you start with the conviction that you can do it, and do it well.

Lillian Russell's Answers.

R. R.: The first thing in the morning and the last thing at night the teeth should be thoroughly cleaned. Use a small toothbrush, not too stiff; brush with water and a good tooth powder or paste. Then rinse the mouth out with a good mouth wash. Listerine is good for this purpose. After each meal the teeth should be cleaned with clear water. Once a week brush your teeth with peroxide. This will bleach them. If tartar has formed on your teeth have it removed by your dentist.

Irene: In walking, the correct posture is much the same as in standing—chest high, chin and abdomen in. The legs should swing from the hips, not bend mainly from the knees, and the trunk should swing a little in contrary action to the legs. The arms should not be held stiffly, but care must be taken that they do not swing. The weight, in standing, should rest on the ball of the foot, not on the heel; and in walking the step should be taken from the ball of the foot, giving that springiness which adds so much to grace.

Mrs. W. G. J.: The right thing to do with gray hair is to admire it. Nature cunningly contrives to give all of our complexions to match our hair, and if our hair changes in color our complexions change too. Dyed hair is never beautiful, and it never matches the complexion. The only thing to do with the color of your hair is to let nature take her own course. If you don't like the color you must come to it with good grooming, not with dye, for beautifully kept hair is always charming, irrespective of its color.

M. B.: I am sorry, but I cannot give you a remedy for rheumatism. This is an internal trouble, and as I am not a physician I cannot give remedies for internal disorders. I would advise you to consult your physician in regard to it.

Hazel: Pimples are one of the major troubles of womankind. They come from disordered blood, due to wrong diet, insufficient air, blood, and to clogged pores. The blood must first be purified, and the skin must be cleansed and kept clean. Get as much exercise in the open air as possible. Eliminate all sweets and greasy foods from your diet, and eat plenty of fruits and vegetables. Cleanse the face thoroughly each night before retiring, using warm water, a good soap and good cold cream. If you care for my advice for pimples and formula for cold cream, send me a stamped, addressed envelope, and I shall gladly send them to you.

Dr. Brady's Health Talks

HIP: HIP!

This one is for ladies only, though we have no objections to the men reading it too.

At the outset the hip reducing problem may be reduced to simple common sense: Stop wearing corsets. Being absolutely free from advice to give any foolish woman, the next best plan is this: Stop wearing corsets for the two or three years at least. Most women can compromise to this extent, and every hour a woman goes without corsets is just so much gain. If women never wear corsets they would have no need of hip-reducing measures.

How Corsets Make Large Hips. It stands to reason that laziness predisposes to the accumulation of fat. A lazy person is characteristically fat and ungainly. This applies in a general way and in a local way. By splinting the abdominal and hip muscles permanently taking away their normal work—the corset makes these muscles lazy, and layers of fat are deposited

upon them. The so-called "hip-reducing" contraptions fitted on corsets are a huge joke upon the poor deluded woman who wears them. If she really would like to reduce her hips.

Physical Culture Essential.
Lillian Russell's corset has all other restricting garments. Stand erect, throw out your chest, pull in your chin, draw up your abdomen, then spread your arms straight out on either side, bend as far over toward the right as possible, straighten up again, then bend far to the left. Repeat a dozen times each day.

Stand again at attention, take slow, deep breaths, chest out, chin in, toes together; hold your breath, with your chest chock-full of air, for fifteen or twenty seconds, then let the breath out, forcing it out till the chest is as empty as possible, and bend forward, with knees stiff, trying to touch the floor with your fingers. Repeat this stunt a dozen times.

Finally, lie flat on the back and raise both legs to a vertical position, slowly, without raising the head, then let them slowly down again. Once is enough to do this the first day. If no too sore you can repeat it often as you grow accustomed to the exercise, day by day.

Erect, hands on hips. Bend knees until you sit on your heels, but don't sit there long, come right up again, down again, et cetera, ten to forty times, then do it all over to-morrow.

Questions and Answers.

Miss M. writes: Please say whether a chronic case of running ear is curable, and whether it is catarrh of the head.

Reply—It is curable if you don't postpone treatment too long, and it is a continual menace to your life until it is cured. No, it isn't catarrh of the head, though it may have resulted from simple nasal catarrh.

Mrs. M. D. H. asks: Does chewing gum aid digestion, or is it the cause of large white spots on the fingernails.

Reply—Chewing gum aids the digestion more than watching the movies. Such spots appear upon the nails about six weeks after any severe illness, accident or fright. Have we guessed right?

Adrian asks: Will you kindly tell me what vegetables contain iron.

Reply—Pretty nearly all fruits, cereals and vegetables contain iron. The amount present in different foods is inconsiderable.

F. M. writes: 1. Give the symptoms of heart disease. 2. How can this be cured? 3. What is dry pleurisy and how long does it last? 4. What causes hemorrhoids and hemorrhoids? 5. Would a high altitude help?

Reply—1. The chief symptoms are those of circulatory failure, heart trouble, edema, dropsy, kidney disease, headache, shortness of breath, and many others—but don't diagnose your ailment without consulting your doctor. 2. It can't. All you can do is stay it. 3. Inflammation of the pleural covering of the lungs and lining of chest wall—the accumulation of watery fluid; it lasts from a few days to many months in the chronic cases. 4. This is hemorrhoids—maybe an ear specialist could answer questions 4 and 5.

Hug—Hildrup.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
FREDERICKSBURG, Va., December 2.—W. H. Hug, of Drakes Branch, Va., and Miss Nellie M. Hildrup, daughter of Richard Hildrup, of Spotsylvania County, were married last night at Tabernacle Church, in that county, Rev. J. Thomas, assisted by Rev. M. Avery, performing the ceremony. Mrs. John Krocko, of Brookland, D. C., was matron of honor, and Robert Hildrup acted as best man. The bridesmaids were Miss Louise Hug, Georgia Houser, Janie Faulkner, Marie Butler, Alberta Houser, Isabelle Thorburn, Grosmen: Charles Hildrup, Harry Hildrup, Evans Thomas, Robert W. Harris, Lee Perry and Willie Hildrup. Miss Rosa Miller rendered the wedding music.

ALEXANDRIA PEOPLE

ALARMED BY BURGLARS

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ALEXANDRIA, Va., December 3.—A series of robberies in this city in

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the past few weeks has caused citizens no little amount of alarm. A burglar, after 4 o'clock this morning, entered the home of Andrew Toms, 219 North Columbus Street, and when Mrs. Toms was aroused, she found a man, believed to be colored, standing over her. He casually remarked: "Don't holler!" Lusty screams were let forth by Mrs. Toms. The man escaped.

NEWS OF ASHLAND

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ASHLAND, Va., December 3.—Dr. J. Thomson Booth, who has been visiting friends here, left yesterday to resume his work with the state Department of Health.

The Messrs. Ellington, of North Carolina, are visiting friends at Randolph-Macon College.

Rev. and Mrs. Beasco White and small son have arrived and are occupying the parsonage on Henry Street. Rev. Mr. White is the pastor of Duncan Memorial Church.

Mrs. John McCleave and Miss Mary Robins, of Cumberland, Md., are guests of their sister, Mrs. H. S. Ladew.

Joseph Lee has returned to his home in Sumter, S. C., after a visit to his sister, Mrs. E. R. Carter.

Mrs. David Duncan, of Warrenton, was the recent guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Jackson.

The Junior Literary Club met on Tuesday with Miss Virginia Potts as hostess. Miss Katherine Marsh gave a short sketch of the life of Edgar Allan Poe and read a selection. Current events were discussed by Miss Elsie Cardwell.

Miss Alice Peak, of Rocky Mount, Va., and Miss Thomas, of Roanoke, have returned home after a visit to Dr. and Mrs. Frank Day.

P. K. Gravelly, of Rocky Mount, N. C., and Mrs. David Duncan, of Warrenton, visited friends here this week.

Miss Elizabeth Bagby, of Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. Clyde Barnes.

The dance given last night at the Henry Clay Inn, under the management of Messrs. Frances Marsh, Dr. E. Potts and Miss Julia Weisiger, for the Red Cross Society in Serbia, was one of the most delightful affairs of the season, besides being a financial success.

An orchestra from Richmond furnished music during the intermissions refreshments were served. The chaperons included Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Newcomb, Mrs. C. E. Potts, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Shepherd, Messdames M. M. Baldwin, K. Knox, M. D. Hart, John Addison, James Hunter, and the dancers were Misses Elizabeth Bagby, Lucy Tompkins, Laura Blanton, Dorothy Burney, Wherry, Elizabeth Kelly, of Richmond; Mildred Hart, Virginia Potts, Kitty Corning, Byron Sydney, Arthur Cox, McMaisters, Billy Hammond, Sydney Wright, Belding, Blincoe, Masters, Gray, Belding, Blincoe, Masters, Mildred, Lambeth, Ellington, Rice, Beale, Turner, Young, Phil Cogbill, Ellington, Thornton, Mac, Cogbill, and others.

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